HOPE Academy

Part-Time vs. Full-Time Comparison Chart

Students participating in the HOPE Academy Concurrent Enrollment Program may choose to participate as a Full-Time student. The chart below is a guide to help parents understand the difference between a part-time, homeschooled student and a full-time student. Full-time participation is open to students who transfer from a public school setting, or students who transfer from the HOPE Academy part-time program. It is important for previously homeschooled students and their parents to understand the impact of becoming a full-time student. The chart below outlines the differences according to the Colorado Homeschooling Laws, C.R.S. 22:33:104.5.

22-33-104.5 Home-Based Education - Legislative Declaration - Definitions - Guidelines

Homeschooling	Summary of Title 22, C.R.S. 33: School Attendance Law of	
Law Section	1963 Section 104.5, as amended	

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Full-Time Student

	Parent to choose proper education and training,	State and School District choose education and training, subject to
(1)	subject to minimum state controls.	State and District regulations.
(2)(a)	Education takes place in the home, by the child's parent or by an	All HOPE Academy classes are taught by teachers certified by State of
	adult relative of the child, designated by the parent.	Colorado, or meet the requirements of No Child Left Behind
		legislation.
	The parent (or adult relative) NOT subject to the requirements of	Teacher IS subject to the requirements of "Colorado Educator
(3)(a)	"Colorado Educator Licensing Ace of 1991."	Licensing Act of 1991."
(3)(b)	Student/Parent shall not be compulsory to school attendance.	Subject to Colorado compulsory school attendance.
(3)(e)	Parent shall notify school district of their "Intent to Establish a Home-	The full-time student is no longer participating in a home-based
	Based Program."	program, so no notification is necessary.
(3)(f)	Student is required to be evaluated in Grades 3,5,7,9, and 11, with a	The full-time student is subject to all state/district testing
	nationally standardized achievement test, or assessed by a	requirements per their grade level.
	professional for adequate progress.	
(3)(g)	Parent is responsible for maintaining student records.	The school maintains a transcript. HOPE and college grades become
		part of a student's permanent record.
(6)(g)	All student records shall be maintained on permanent basis by the	The records shall be maintained on a permanent basis by the school
	parent in charge and in control of said program. Includes attendance,	district/school of attendance. Included are attendance, testing and
	testing, and evaluation results, and immunizations. Does not include	evaluation results, and immunizations. All grades will be transcripted
	transcripts.	on a Jeffco School District Transcript for Full-time Middle & High
		School Students. Jefferson County School District graduation
		requirements apply for HOPE Academy.